

REDMOND KIN RELATES TRIP TO RED CHINA

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talized In June

Yonkers, N.Y., Nov. 5 (AP)—The mother of an American imprisoned in Communist China said today he had told her of being hospitalized in June. She did not learn the reason or the length of his stay in the hospital.

Mrs. Ruth Redmond, 65-year-old widow, told in an interview of what she had seen on her second trip to visit her son, Hugh F. Redmond, Jr., 43, who has served eleven years of a life term on a spy charge.

As on her arrival in New York city Saturday, Mrs. Redmond told of his changed appearance since she first visited him behind the Red Chinese lines five years ago.

"A continual twitch on the right side of his face leads me to believe something is radically wrong and he is suffering from physical deterioration," she said.

"His eyes are distant as I look into them, but his memory is excellent," she said. She stated there was no evidence he had been mistreated.

She saw her son four times at the prison in Shanghai, and on one of them brought along a camera and was allowed to take several pictures of him. A prison guard even volunteered to take some of them posed together. The Chinese developed the negatives and allowed Mrs. Redmond to bring them home with her.

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